

George Freeman, Esquire The New York Times Company 620 Eighth Avenue New York, NY 10018 **DCT 1 9 2007**

RE: MUR 5942

The New York Times Company

Dear Mr. Freeman:

This is in response to your letter dated October 12, 2007, which we received on October 18, 2007, requesting an extension until November 16, 2007, to respond to the complaint filed in the above-noted matter. After considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on November 16, 2007.

If you have any questions, please contact me on our toll-free telephone number, (800) 424-9530. Our local telephone number is (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Alva DeJarnett-Miller, Paralegal Complaints Examination &

Legal Administration